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Curling Season Begins

The 1924-25 curling season is at hand. The ice is about ready and awaits only the formation of the rinks to commence playing. A meeting for this purpose and other business is being held in the rink at 8 p. m. this Friday. As the curling fever is high here this year and the number of rinks limited to sixteen anyone wishing to join should do so immediately as the quota is nearly complete. Mr. Walter Durrer has been very active in getting ice made which will insure a much longer season than Didsbury has had for several years. A new trophy cup is to be played for this year besides the old one, the buttons, the Mitchell cup, Macdonald trophy and a large number of other games which will insure a most interesting winter of the 'roarin' game.

An Interesting Program

Manager Sharp of the local Opera House has made an arrangement that would delight all lovers of high class music and dramatic art. Many old timers will remember Harold Nelson, or to use his right name, H. N. Shaw, B. II.

For many years the Harold Nelson Co. was the only high class dramatic attraction in the West. Mr. Nelson was a Shakesperian actor of great ability and many were the regrets expressed by the public when he devoted himself to teaching in Vancouver and Seattle. Francis Nickman the Cree Indian, was one of his successful pupils and now he is presenting Frank H. Hopkinson, a wonderful tenor, to the Canadian public. Messrs. Nelson and Hopkinson toured Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Coast in recital with great success. Hearing that they were passing through Didsbury, Manager Sharp wished to give the people the opportunity of hearing their old-time favorite and the new Canadian singer but the only evening they had disengaged was Saturday, November 15th. Manager Sharp had already booked his picture, "Pure Grit," for that evening and it seemed as though no appearance could be arranged until it was decided to effect the arrangement carried out in Vancouver by Edward Johnson, Clara Butt and other artists to appear after the picture performance was over.

So on Saturday evening, November 15th at ten o'clock the picture will be finished and a concert recital be given by these two artists, consisting of tenor solos and dramatic readings.

Mr. Nelson needs no introduction. His readings vary from comedy to tragedy. Mr. Hopkinson's wonderful tenor voice will be a revelation. His sympathetic golden tone and fine stage appearance win all hearts and keep his audiences spell bound. He is a native Albertan and is now on his way to Europe to enter Grand Opera.

SUCCESSFUL CHICKEN SUPPER

The Institute Chicken Supper held in the Opera House on Tuesday evening was one of the most successful of such affairs ever held here. The attendance was large, the supper excellent and the program pleasing. The program was further helped out by Miss Mae Studer and Mr. J. T. Macdonald of Calgary. The women of the Institute are to be congratulated on their success which should give them encouragement to carry on with more such affairs in the future.

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Writing from England in reference to shipments of Alberta butter to that market the past season, one prominent broker states as follows: "We have had several good sized shipments from Alberta creameries over this route (the Panama) this year and are pleased to say that in every case we have had entire satisfaction with his butter. The product itself has been without question the finest we have received this year from Canada. The texture of your Alberta butter is, in their opinion (the blenders) far superior to that of any other province of Canada."

ANNUAL SEED FAIR

Preparations are now going forward for the annual provincial seed fair which is to be held this year at Calgary, from January 20 to 23, and which is receiving the active support of the Calgary Board of Trade. The seed fair is held under the auspices of the Provincial Department of Agriculture and the Seed Growers' Association.

U. F. A. CONVENTION

The annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta will be held January 20 to 23, it is expected in Calgary.

AMOOSE STORY

The moose and deer season has just opened. One of the stories coming into Didsbury from Niche Valley is that a couple of days ago a man snared a moose and waited until the opening morning to shoot it, but when he shot, the bullet severed the rope and the animal got away.

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Our Natural Resources And The Cost Of Production

In the course of one of the series of addresses made by him during his tour of Western Canada, Premier Mackenzie King said: "The only way to solve problems is to reduce, if possible, the cost of production—the cost of living."

No one is likely to take exception to this statement except that many people will say that the qualifying words, "if possible," should be eliminated. Few things are impossible of achievement if men are determined in their efforts to reach any desired end. So far as bringing about a reduction in the costs of production in Canada, and therefore in the cost of living, there can be no question but that it is possible. As Rotarians say, it can be done.

But it is not going to be done if such a large percentage of Canadian manufacturers continue to pursue their present policy of importing enormous quantities of raw materials, or semi-manufactured articles, for use in their finished products, and which could be obtained from Canada's own great wealth of natural resources and the whole process of manufacture carried out in Canada instead of only a part of it.

Canada's adverse balance of trade with the United States is largely made up of importations by Canadian manufacturers of materials and supplies which could be obtained and produced within Canada. Too many Canadian manufacturers prefer to follow the "easy way" of importation instead of utilizing a portion of their own capital in the development for use of the natural resources of this Dominion. As a result both the cost of production and of living is too high.

And then these finished products of Canadian factories, containing a large percentage in many instances of United States materials, are protected by heavy Customs duties against competition by similar articles made wholly in the United States. At the same time hundreds of these factories, Canadian so-called, because they are located on Canadian soil, are nothing but branch factories of United States concerns erected on this side of the line in order to escape payment of Customs duties and to secure the benefits of the Canadian Preferential Tariff in Empire markets. In other words, in the case of hundreds of factories Canadian citizens are paying abnormally high prices because of a Customs tariff maintained to protect these United States offshoots from their parent concerns across the line.

Costs of production and of living in Canada will begin to tumble when Canada begins to make full use of its own natural resources, but not until then. Canadians cannot expect lower costs so long as their own manufacturers go on importing raw materials and semi-manufactured articles—upon which, of course, profits are first levied as well as transportation and tariff charges—instead of developing and making use of our own natural resources. Even in the case of many of our natural products now being developed, they are shipped in a raw state to the United States and brought back in a semi-manufactured or completed state, instead of Canada's own capitalists and industrial leaders providing for their complete manufacture in this country.

United States' owners of branch factories in Canada are naturally quite content to bring in raw or semi-manufactured materials from the United States, and get the bulk of the duty rebated to them when such materials are used in producing a finished article in this country. But Canadian manufacturers should not be content, although most of them appear to be.

Inasmuch as the development and production for use of our own natural resources offers the only sure method of reducing production and living costs, and also presents the only means through which necessary wealth is to be produced to ultimately pay off Canada's great war debt and thus reduce the heavy taxation burden, which, by the way, is also a big factor in keeping up production and living costs, it would appear to be the duty of the Canadian Government and Parliament to immediately tackle the problem of effecting a rapid development of these Canadian resources.

Instead of allowing heavy rebates on United States and other foreign materials when used in manufactures in Canada, why not try the plan of largely reducing the Customs protection afforded all manufacturers where the article manufactured is not made wholly out of Canadian materials. This would have the effect of providing real protection for bona fide Canadian goods, prove a stimulus to employment, and compel United States branch factories in this country to use Canadian raw materials.

Most important of all it would assist to bring about the development of our own natural resources, which development, let it be emphasized, is essential to the economic independence and national progress and prosperity of this Dominion.

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Seed Grain Survey

Reports To Be Made Regarding Shortages In Seed Grain

Announcement has been made by the Winnipeg representative of the Dominion seed branch to the effect that a survey is being commenced to find out where the shortages are in oats and barley for seed and where there are surpluses. Reports will be made regarding seed wheat at the same time, but wholesale shortages are not expected in this grain as with the coarser cereals. W. F. Blakeman, who makes the announcement, has just returned from a conference of the branch officials in Ottawa, and he states that arrangements are going forward with all speed, in view of the situation arising out of early frosts and bad weather.

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Canadian History In France

Formation of Historical Society at Versailles Marked By Interesting Event

Descendants of the great Frenchmen who made early Canadian history were the guests of Sir Campbell Stuart, managing director of the Times Publishing Company, at a luncheon given in the Hall of Battles of the Versailles Palace to celebrate the formation of the "Canadian History Society in France."

The society was formed in order to further the collection from French families of documents bearing on Canadian history.

The guests included Senator Raoul Dandurand, representing the Government of Quebec; Duc de Levis-Milrepol, president of the new society and a descendant of Chevalier De Levis, who succeeded Montcalm in command of the French forces; Marquis de Montcalm, a descendant of General Montcalm; the Duke of Connaught; a delegation of persons prominent socially in Great Britain; and many French Governmental officials and literary persons.

Hon. H. S. Bland, representing the Canadian Government, toasted France. Premier Herriot responded on behalf of France, and the Duke of Connaught delivered a message from King George.

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Prospective Land Buyers

Americans Purchasing Lands in Northern Agricultural Districts

Accompanied by agents of the colonization department of the Canadian National Railways from St. Paul, two parties of American land buyers comprising twelve persons, left Winnipeg recently to visit the Humboldt and Tisdale districts, where they will inspect Canadian National lands with an idea of settling. This is only one of several parties brought in this year by the colonization department, all of whom bought lands, either from the railway or private owners. These people came from Iowa, Illinois and Minnesota.

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Canada's Trade With Cuba

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Potatoes are an article of import into Cuba in which Canadians are interested. In round numbers, Cuba imports yearly about four million bushels of potatoes of which almost one-half come from the United States, with Canada's sales a close second. The total value of these imports last year was \$5,482,283. The value of the imports from the United States was \$2,816,385, and the value of those from Canada was \$2,449,054. Belgium was third, with \$66,255; Holland fourth, with \$37,409; Great Britain, fifth, with \$36,885; and the Canary Islands sixth, with \$32,625.

Why the Question Is Raised

Having started the war and made a hash of it, Germany naturally resents the onus of being responsible for wrecking Europe.

Had Germany triumphed in the field, there would never have been any international controversy as to who started the war.—Toronto Telegram.

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Women Boxers In Hull

Boxing is prohibited in Hull, Eng., except for women. As a result, feminine exhibitions of the "manly art" are now attracting hundreds of fans to various ringsides every weekday night. Hull is developing a crop of women boxers to send to America.

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J. S. DENNIS, Chief Commissioner.

COOLIDGE WINS GREAT VICTORY OVER OPPONENTS

New York.—The returns of the general elections in the United States show that President Coolidge will have at least 100 votes to spare in the Electoral College, and will have the largest popular plurality in history.

The indicated strength of the three candidates in the Electoral College is as follows, subject to revision: Coolidge, 367; Davis, 136; La Follette, 13. The figures given for the popular vote are: Coolidge, 18,000,000; Davis, 8,000,000; La Follette, 4,000,000.

Washington.—Several changes are expected in the administration personnel when President Coolidge takes the official oath of office next March 4.

There have been definite indications that certain officers high up in the government desired, for various reasons, to retire to private life, including some cabinet members.

Mr. Coolidge, naturally, will be free to select his own cabinet for his full term. Those members who desire to leave are expected to communicate their wishes formally to him before next March.

No Adjustment Of Tariff Likely

Canadian Producers Still Barred From U.S. Markets

Ottawa, Ont.—That the result of the United States election eliminates any hope of Canadian products securing more favorable conditions of entry into the United States market is the most commonly drawn here. The lesson of the presidential election that Republican party being the party of high protection, their sweep of the country consequently holds out little hope of tariff adjustments in a downward direction. They enacted the Fordney tariff and supplementary legislation which places a duty that is largely prohibitive on Canadian grain, cattle, fish and dairy products.

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Mr. Elwin Connell, Porterville, Ont., writes:—"My nerves were in a very bad condition and the least little thing would irritate me very much."

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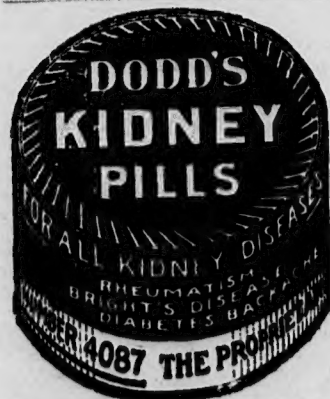
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Says Grain Standards Too High

Leithbridge.—There is some grumbling heard over wheat grading. T. O. King, a new member of the Grain Standards Board, declared in an interview on his return from Winnipeg, that our standards are too high as compared with those in the U.S., a competitive country. Mr. King holds that parliament should amend the Canada Grain Act at the coming session.

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WESTERN EDITORS



C. L. Willis, Editor and Proprietor of The Independent, Stettler, Alberta.

Russia Will Not Buy Western Horses

Difficulties Over Payment End Deal For This Year

Calgary.—Alberta will not sell any horses to Russia this year, the negotiations, which were in progress for several months, having fallen through owing to difficulties over financing. The Russian Government wants 1,000 Canadian horses delivered at Odessa, and probably the greater number of these would have been bought on the prairie had satisfactory arrangements been made. The intending purchaser was to pay, through a London bank, after delivery at Odessa, but the Canadian selling agents insisted on payment being made at Montreal at the time of shipment. A deadlock was reached, with the result that the London, Eng., intermediary has left for the old country. It is possible negotiations may be re-opened in the spring.

The Russian Government intimated that, if the first thousand horses bought in Canada gave satisfaction, it was prepared to purchase 15,000 more in this country.

Elevator Charges

Pools Seek Agreement With Elevators As to Special Binned Wheat

Winnipeg.—Officials of the Canadian Co-operative Selling Agency, the distributing organization of the prairie wheat pool associations, and representatives of line elevator companies were in a conference here.

A difference of opinion exists on the handling of special binned wheat and platform loadings, and these subjects were fully discussed during the meeting. The pool officials claim there should be no charge for diversion of special binned grades. The elevator companies at present charge one cent per bushel.

Close Mexican Consulate

Break With Britain Affects Dealings With Canada

Mexico City.—All Mexican consulates in Canada and the other British Dominions have been ordered closed, beginning November 20. The order was issued by the minister of foreign affairs in carrying out the policy to sever commercial relations with Great Britain, which suspended official dealings with Mexico after the recent withdrawal at the request of Mexico, of H. S. Conard Cummins, the British charge d'affaires here.

Fiery Cross in the East

St. Catharines.—The first fiery cross, the symbol of the Ku Klux Klan, was burned in this district on Sunday night, when residents of Jordan were startled to see the flaming emblem burning brightly on the mountain. The spectacle attracted a large crowd and could be witnessed for miles around. Crosses had previously been burned at Smithville, and on the Hamilton Mountain.

B.C. Counsel Will Attend Hearing Victoria.—British Columbia counsel will attend the privy council hearing of the prairie provinces appeal against the decision of the railway board abolishing the Crow's Nest rate agreement, Premier Oliver announced. The province also will be represented when the prairies ask the Supreme Court of Canada to rule on certain legal aspects of the board's decision.

Suggest Devonshire As New Colonial Secretary

London.—In Dominion circles here the return of the Duke of Devonshire to the office of Colonial Secretary under Premier Baldwin would be warmly welcomed. There seems to be no ground for assuming that the Duke has a real distaste to taking office again, and, among the recent colonial secretaries, none created better relations between the Dominion and the colonial department than the former Governor-General of Canada.

Hungarians Would Come To Canada

Representative of People Asks That Restrictions Be Modified

Montreal.—Dr. Aladar Gedeon, former governor of several Hungarian counties, and member of the Hungarian Government, who has been making a short tour of Central Saskatchewan and Alberta, is in Canada in the capacity of a private citizen seeking to purchase an agricultural estate upon which to settle himself and the several hundred farmers who are now engaged in Hungary.

Dr. Gedeon said that if the Canadian Government can see its way clear to modify some of the restrictions against the immigration of Magyars, he can induce several thousands of his countrymen to settle in Canada within the next few years.

Home For Defective Children Needed

Supervisor of B.C. Schools Says Number Is Increasing

Vancouver, B.C.—That there is great need for a home for mentally defective children in British Columbia was stated by Miss A. J. Dauphine, supervisor of special classes in the city schools, addressing the health bureau of the Board of Trade. She said the province was estimated to have more than 1,600 mentally defective children and the proportion was rapidly increasing, because of the relatively large birth rate among people of low mentalities, and the lowered rate of infant mortality through the better care given to babies now as compared with other times.

Byelections In Quebec

Three Liberals and Two Conservatives Are Elected

Montreal.—Winners of the five by-elections in the province of Quebec to fill vacancies in the legislatures were: St. Anne, Montreal.—J. H. Dillon, Liberal, or government. No change. St. Maurice.—A. E. Guillemette, Liberal. No change.

Sherbrooke.—A. Crepeau, Conservative. No change. Bonaventure.—P. E. Cote, Liberal. No change.

Quebec County.—L. Bastien, Conservative. Opposition gain.

The standing of the parties in the Quebec Legislature as a result of the by-elections is: Total seats, 86; Liberals, 62; Conservatives, 22; vacant 1.

French Government and the Vatican

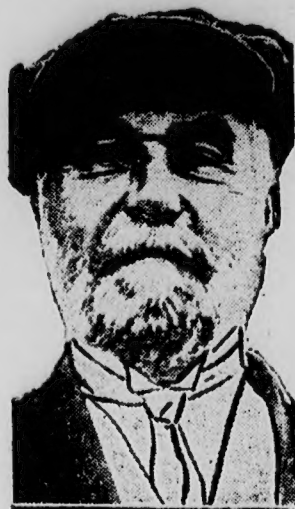
Paris.—Diplomatic circles apprehend an early crisis in the relations between the French Government and the Vatican, and feel that the final issue has been hastened by the protest made to Premier Herriot by Mgr. Beneventura Cerretti, papal nuncio in Paris, against the speech by Francois Albert, minister of education, in which the minister criticized the nuncio's address before the Catholic Institute in 1922.

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Meets Tragic End



PETER VEREGIN

head of the Doukhobor colony of British Columbia, who was killed with five others in an explosion on a C.P.R. train, near Farron station, B.C.

Collect Insurance On Loss Of Jewelry

New York.—It was reported in insurance circles here that payment of \$125,000 to Lord and Lady Mountbatten and Mrs. J. S. Gosden, for the loss of jewelry stolen at Mrs. Gosden's home at Sandpoint during the Prince of Wales' visit there, had been ordered. Lloyd's and the Alliance Insurance Company, it is said, made the payments which were ordered after the Prince's arrival in London. No trace of the thief was found.

Explosion Caused Disaster

Coroner's Jury Render Verdict On Train Outrage

Nelson, B.C.—That the said William J. Armstrong, Mary Streloff, Harry J. Bishop and Nell E. Murray came to their deaths as the result of a powerful explosive near Farron, B.C., on the morning of October 29, placed in C.P.R. car No. 1586 by some person or persons unknown, either with intent or through ignorance. Such was the verdict arrived at by the coroner's jury sitting here. "Further," said the verdict, "we earnestly request that the attorney-general's department of the province continue diligently to secure evidence to apprehend the person or persons responsible for this terrible accident."

Canadian Minister to Washington

Ottawa, Ont.—One development likely to occur soon is the decision on the appointment of a Canadian minister to Washington. This has been purposely deferred until the elections were over. The situation is that Senator Belcourt has the refusal of the appointment, but before accepting would desire certain conditions to be adjusted to his satisfaction.

Depend On Western Market

St. Catharines.—Approximately 800 carloads was the total amount of grapes this season handled by the Niagara District Grape Growers, Limited. In a season of rather unsatisfactory conditions there was one bright feature, the Western Canada trade. The high prices paid for wheat undoubtedly saved the situation for the Niagara grape men this year.

Rheims Menaced By Floods

Rheims.—The heavy floods in the city of Rheims and vicinity have assumed alarming proportions. Eight hundred families have abandoned their homes in this city, several villages having been evacuated and cut off from outside communication and a number of leading roads in the district are impassable.

Winnipeg Mayorality Contest

Winnipeg.—Mayor S. J. Farmer will appeal to the civic electorate for his third term, as candidate of the Independent Labor Party. He was nominated by acclamation at a convention of the party. The election will be held on November 28. Col. R. H. Webb is opposing candidate.

Holdfast Elevator Burns

Holdfast, Sask.—A loss of \$12,000 occurred here when fire was discovered in the Province elevator. The elevator, engine room, 1,500 bushels of wheat, 1,200 bushels of flax and about 700 bushels of oats, were destroyed.

WILL CONTINUE FIGHT TO HAVE PACT RESTORED

Winnipeg.—Both Alberta and Saskatchewan will co-operate to the full with Manitoba in doing everything possible for the reinstatement of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement rates, according to statements made here following a meeting of the attorney-generals of the prairie provinces and H. J. Symington, K.C., counsel representing the provinces.

"The prairie provinces will stand shoulder to shoulder in the matter," said Hon. J. E. Brownlee, attorney-general of Alberta, "and not a stone will be left unturned to attain what we all in the west desire."

Hon. J. A. Cross, attorney-general for Saskatchewan, was equally as earnest in stating that Saskatchewan was solid behind the movement.

"While everyone knows that appeals have been made to the governor-in-council, and the Supreme Court against the decision of the railway board, and while the matter is, so to speak, subjudice, I will say right now that Saskatchewan will take second place to none of the prairie provinces in its endeavors to have this wrong righted," said Mr. Cross.

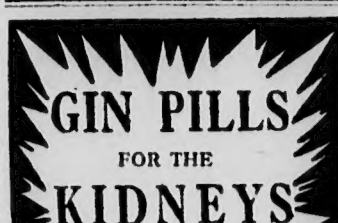
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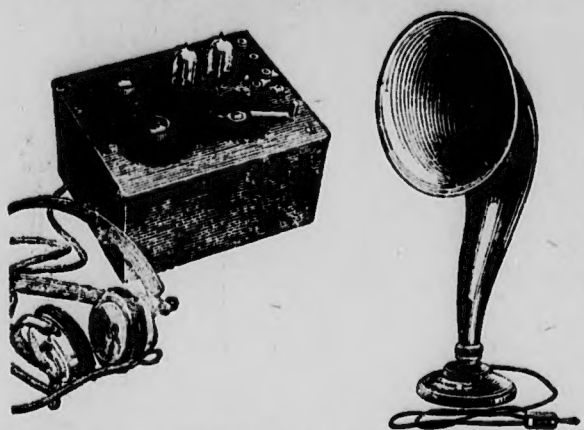


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THANKFULNESS

A few evenings ago we heard a man say that he could see very little to be thankful for. No doubt he felt like a good many of us. But there are so many reasons to be thankful for that they overbalance the things that seem to be of great import in our individual lives that are not going along as we think they should.

Let us be thankful first of all for one great right: The right when dissatisfied, to say that we are dissatisfied and try to make things better.

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Be thankful above all that there is Infinite Wisdom guiding our destinies and that all things will be made plain if you only have FAITH.

Coming to this case, the Didsbury Pioneer wishes to thank all our friends, subscribers and advertisers, who have helped us to carry on during the past year, and may you all find something to be thankful for in your individual lives that will give you faith and strength to believe that all will finally be made right—that God's justice and mercy and love will finally make things right.

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GRAIN

Wheat, No. 1	\$ 1.47
Wheat, No. 2	1.44
Wheat, No. 3	1.39
Wheat, No. 4	1.24
Oats, Ex. 1 Feed	.44
Barley, No. 3	.67
Rye	1.07
Hay, upland, ton	9.00

LIVESTOCK

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Fat cows	2 to 2 1-4c
Fat steers	2 1-2c to 4c
Heifers	2 1-4 to 2 3-4c
Hogs	7 3-5c
Fat ewes	6c
Lambs	9c to 10c

DRESSED MEATS

Beef	7c to 10c
Veal	8c to 11c
Pork	9c to 12c
Mutton	18c
Chickens, live	10c to 12 1-2c
Fat fowl	10c to 12 1-2c
Old hens	8c to 9c
Old roosters	2c
Hides	4c

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7 Year, just fresh; 4 Year grade Holstein, just fresh; 5 Year grade Holstein will freshen in winter; 6 Year grade Holstein will freshen in December; 7 Year red Short-horn, milking, due in March; 6 Year white face, milking, due in March; 7 Year white face, milking, due in March; 5 Year Short-horn, milking, due in December; 6 Year roan, milking, due in March; 8 Year brindle; Red Heifer; Heifer calf, 4 months.

PIGS

10 Thrifty Shoats.

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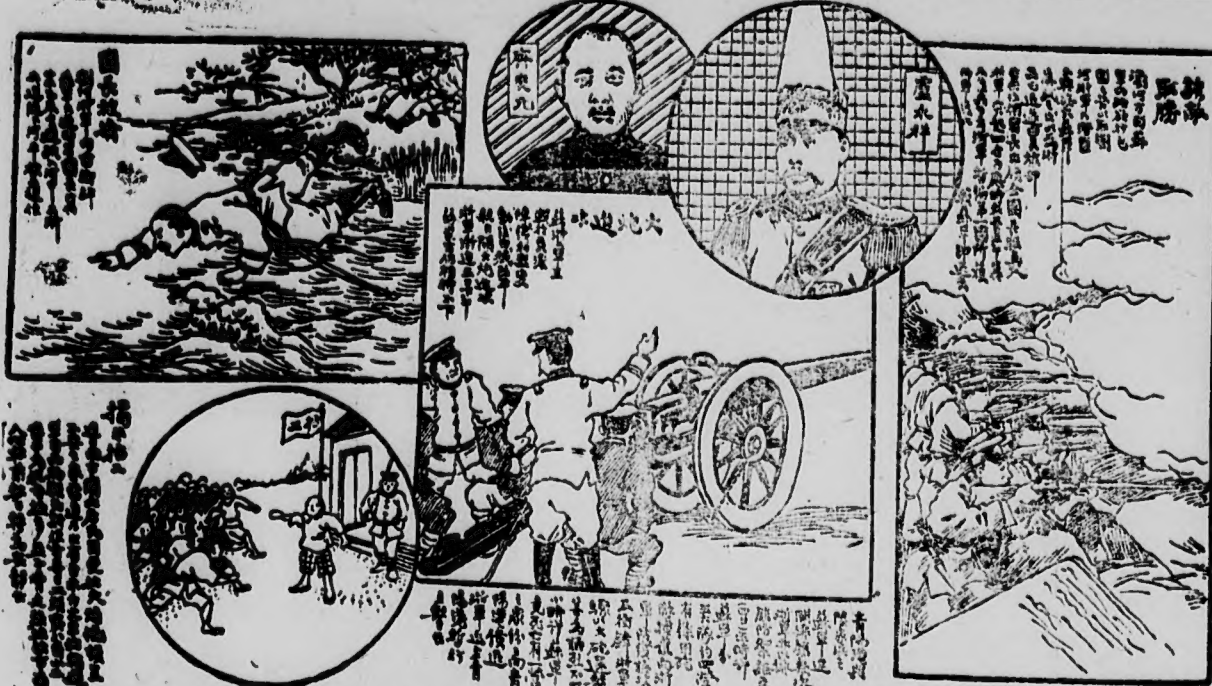
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Chinese War Spoils Royal and Ancient Game



This Shanghai News Bulletin Shows How Additional Hazards Were Created

In the opinion of Canadian Pacific officials stationed in China, the cessation of hostilities in that country will, in all probability, be followed by a remarkable development of Canada's trade with the Orient. From letters received at the Montreal headquarters of the great transportation company, Canadians, Europeans and other foreigners did not take the Chinese war quite as seriously as did the Chinese themselves. Business was affected a little as travel to and from the interior was somewhat restricted, but at no time did the foreigners feel apprehension as to their own safety, even though, at times, the actual scene of the fighting was not known but was quite close. The main things worrying the Europeans in Shanghai were the possibility of a food shortage and the fact that the city's best golf links was in the fighting zone and had, therefore, more than the usual hazards; but trafficking and travel may now be said to have returned almost to a pre-war basis.

To the Chinese, however, the war was a first-class war, as will be seen from the accompanying reproduction of a news bulletin published at Shanghai and forwarded from that city by one of the officers of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, to Montreal. The whole of the bulletin is taken up by war news. Pictured in the centre are Generals Chi and Su. At the top left one sees how General Kay, finding no time to escape from the Chekiang troops after the defeat of the Su soldiers,

at Lew Hoo, was forced to jump into the river, where he was finally captured. Below that, he who understands Chinese hieroglyphics reads that recruiting workmen for station work and the transportation of munitions at Jarkai was comparatively easy as many who volunteered for this work were fearful of being forcibly recruited for service at the front if they were found to be without employment. Underneath the portraits of the contending generals, the artist has endeavored to show how Mit Goo Pong of the Su army fired on the Chekiang troops at troops, by entrenching themselves round Lew Hoo and by remaining quiet, tricked the Su army into thinking that the town had been evacuated, being thereby enabled to vanquish General Kay, who sought to occupy it.

But the war is about over now, and on this side of the Pacific we are just left to ask, "What did it all mean?" The Canadian Pacific has included Shanghai in the itinerary of the "Empress of France" round the world cruise which is to commence at New York on January 14th, 1925, and to the participants in this cruise the late Chinese war may mean a few battlefields to visit or a few more souvenirs to buy, but that is about all. And all the charm and beauty, mystery and intrigue of the Orient, a little thing like a war is soon forgotten, by the average visitor to the country.

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with bench; Mahogany dresser; Mahogany dressing table; Mahogany chair; Mahogany rocker; Brass bed; ribre rug 6x9ft.; Solid oak chiffonier; Solid oak dresser; White enamel bed 4x6 ft.; White enamel single bed; Ostermoor mattress; White enamel Simmons child's crib; Several odd rugs; Moffat coal heater; High Oven Peninsular kitchen range; May Tag power washer; Sellers kitchen cabinet; Kitchen table; Cupboard; Wash stand; Linoleum rug 6x9ft.; Congoleum rug 9x12ft.; Piece linoleum; Full set aluminum kitchen utensils; Dishes, all kinds; Hand washer; Wringer; 5 Gal. crock; 13 Gal. crocks; Florence oil heater; Dozens of sealers; Hanging lamp; 3 Table lamps; 2 Lanterns; Many books; Apex vacuum cleaner and attachments; Hot Point electric iron; Ice cream freezer; Mop wringer; Auto baggage carrier.

MISCELLANEOUS

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(Continued)
"I lost out with the sky-pilot and Miss Duperow because I wouldn't storm the gate," Brewster concluded regretfully. "About that time appeared this Sergeant Seymour, then under cover as a mining expert. He fell hard for the girl, which is not against him, for there isn't a finer in all B. C. than Miss Ruth. I don't know what he intended to do when he got into uniform. As you know, the stake robbers killed him before he got saddled up."

"What do you make of it yourself?" Brewster shrugged his broad shoulders. "I may be prejudiced. You see, while I lost my best girl, I landed my B. & K. packing contract. I'll say they pay their bills. Hope you won't think I was trying to horn into your game by criticizing your camp selection. But I thought you might not know how things stood on Glacier."

Seymour thanked him, then glanced into the river. "Maybe I like the looks of the Cheena," he added. "Scouting for dredger people, eh?" Brewster made a surmise. "I hear they're cleaning up strong in the Klondike. The Cheena ought to pay rich for anyone with money enough to put in a hydraulic plant. Remember that Philip Brewster is in the freighter business in case you begin operations. Good luck to you and goodbye for the present."

The sergeant watched Brewster ride across the flat to the main trail; noted that he turned back toward the creeks. Evidently the freighter had been riding into Gold to effect, as he said, Seymour's release. An obliging individual, Brewster, even if he had given his fat deputy friend foolish advice about holding back the Mounties.

So Glacier was a closed creek. A guarded "gate" had been swung across its canon mouth. Upon what? Upon Bart Caswell's something "richer than gold," he strongly suspected. Perhaps upon the "sergeant's" slayer as well. Seymour was part Irish; he enjoyed passing the impassable—or trying to.

CHAPTER XXII

A Figure Of Speech

Carrying an empty tin pail from his mess outfit, to lend borrowing color to his neighborly call, Seymour trudged openly to the mission. This proved to be a sizeable log structure without cross or belfry which served both as dwelling for the missionary and a place for the Indians to worship. It had been up several years, from the

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dead look of the logs. The outlook was upon Glacier Creek rather than upon the Cheena. A forest of scrubby cedar and fir skirted the back of it, while not far away was that misplaced rock spur which formed one flank of the closed canon.

His coming was announced in chorus by several madamuses chained to individual dog houses in the front yard. The venerable sky-pilot himself was at the front door ready to admit him.

"You are welcome, brother—more than welcome," was his greeting. "Your arrival relieves my daughter of the necessity of riding to Gold to assure us that nothing has happened to you."

"Your daughter—I thought I'd met your niece! Circumstances beyond my control made last night's appointment."

Seymour's excuses were interrupted by the sudden entry, from what seemed to be the kitchen, of Moira, a radiant surprise in a blue gingham apron below the hem of which showed her riding boots, testimony that she, not the blond Ruth, had been about to ride to his rescue.

"When—" was all he was able to gasp as he reached out for both her hands.

"Last night's stage—To think that you—Oh! Ruth has told me all about how finely you've taken hold of the situation!"

"And Miss Ruth—where is she?" he asked.

"She's had a hard blow in the death of a man she had come to trust. Isn't it enough—glad enough that I'm here, Sergeant Caswell? I know you must be hungry after that long ride from town. In a minute and a half—"

Seymour reassured her, telling of the precaution he had taken to cover his visit by establishing camp near by. He pointed to the bucket. "Anyone seeing me come here with this, surely must take me for a borrowing neighbor, don't you think? Already I've been spotted as a scout for a gold-dredging outfit with designs on the Cheena."

"Then, brother, if you'll pardon me, I'll hand you over to Moira," said the Missionary. "I'm engaged in a vital work—nothing less than the translation of the Epistles into Chinook. I try to leave all temporal affairs to my daughter and my niece for my time is short—my time is short. You will find her most competent and more fully informed in the details of this outrageous intrigue than I am myself. In this grievous time of turmoil which has befallen us, I thank the good Lord every hour for the return of such a daughter."

"Father, dear!" she gently hushed him.

While the girl was engaged in settling him at a table near a window and arranging his books and papers, Seymour glanced about the comfortable living room. Every stick of furniture, he perceived, was frontier made. The few wall decorations were Indian handwork—rude carvings in wood, garishly painted; reed baskets of beautiful design; a bow and arrows, canoe paddles. The floor coverings were skins that had never been in the hands of a professional taxidermist. There was an air of home about the place never to be found in the quarters of the longest established police detachments. In this instance, probably, it was the touch of Ruth, the grieving cousin, or of Moira herself before she had put into the Far North in behalf of her supposedly vagrant brother.

He crossed to the fireplace in which cedar logs were in a crackling blaze. Its rock was native galea in which the brownish stains of iron predominated, but so sprinkled it was with mineral facets as to look alive where the fire played upon it. On the mantel were a totem pole and several pieces of carved ivory but no trace of "Outside," not even a photograph. Either Moira and Ruth were satisfied with existence in the wild or did not wish to be reminded of civilization.

When Moira rejoined him after having settled her father at his self-assigned task, Seymour was fingering idly several specimens of heavy, grayish mineral which lay at the end of the mantel.

"Frog-gold, my father calls that stuff," said the girl. "It's the plague of our Glacier Creek placers, cluttering up our sluices and utterly worthless except in rare instances, such as—"

She ran her eyes over the specimens and picked out one that was shaped curiously like a human hand. In the gray palm was a small nugget of gold, worth possibly a dollar.

"Take this one as a souvenir of your first visit to the mission," she said, and held it out to him.

He had been on the point of asking her for one of the curios, because of a possible connection with the case that had occurred to him, so accepted the gift gladly.

"Do you know the real story of the closing of Glacier Creek, Moira?" he asked, the matter in hand always on his mind.

"I heard it all last night from father and from Ruth," she assured him. "This pretended Mountie who has just been murdered made an inspection of the creek in father's behalf because of his love for my cousin. It's a trouble creek, I tell you."

"This Bart Caswell made friends with a hired gunman that Bonnemort and Kluger had on guard and slipped into the gulch where the claims are located. He showed great skill in keeping under cover and was not discovered until the next afternoon, by which time he had seen more than enough."

"His report," Moira went on, "was worse than father had feared. The

conscienceless scoundrels had made slaves of all our people, plying them with liquor and working them heart-rending hours under the whip. Bart thought the slaves knew their days of oppression were numbered, and were trying to strip the claims of their treasure in the shortest possible time. Undoubtedly the guard at the gate was as much to keep the slaves in as the whites out. Isn't that an intolerable state of affairs? Do you wonder that father is beside himself with anxiety, realizing his impotence until Canada wakes up to what is going on?"

There was no doubting her honest rage, or that it was unselfish, as neither her cousin's claim nor her father's was being plundered.

"Did I understand you to say that Bart was discovered up the gulch?" Seymour asked.

"Bonnemort himself discovered him slipping through the brush near one of their long sluice boxes," Moira informed him. "He would have beaten Bart to death had not his partner happened along. Kluger, who evidently is the brains of the combination, didn't want a white man murdered on the works, as he put it. They brought Bart to the gate and literally kicked him into the open, warning him that he'd have no second chance. If ever they caught him trying to spy on them again, they threatened to shoot him on sight."

Seymour recalled the widow's version, undoubtedly the true one concerning Bart's motives and mental processes regarding the Glacier Creek plunderers. "Until that uniform fell into his hands, he did not see any way of getting the best of them," Mrs. Caswell had told him.

Bart's plan from that point was easily deduced. Once in uniform, it had been necessary for him to "stall" in regard to the Tabor murder—to checkmate Hardley with any citizens' investigation by pretending to make his own. He seemed to have found time, too, for a reassuring visit with Ruth Duperow and perhaps to advance whatever personal game he was playing with the girl.

Yesterday morning the imposter had set out for the guarded canon on Glacier Creek, counting on the magic of the Mounted uniform, which, for once, had failed to cast its wonted spell. Possibly this failure was because the plunderers had recognized the counterfeit. But the sergeant was not ready to credit that explanation. He preferred to think of it pointed to the desperation of the gold strippers, who would not hesitate to add the murder of a non-commissioned officer to their other crimes.

The sergeant was forced to admit to himself the neatness of Bart's scheme as he now surmised it. Had the uniform "worked," the fake sergeant would have taken the B. & K. clean-up, ostensibly to hold it until the courts adjudicated the Indians' claims. Once the treasure was in his possession, he would have made off with it over the conveniently southbound steamer that touched at no British Columbian port. Just possibly, because of that gift of tongue with women of which Seymour already had seen evidence, Bart would have persuaded Ruth Duperow to accompany him.

"I'll give the Glacier diggings a look-over," he said with a decision that was not as sudden as it sounded, and got to his feet.

Seymour's expression showed as little concern as though he proposed going to the door to glance at the weather prospects. He was not underrating the risks that would come with an attempt to work from the inside out; but he was ignoring them so far as any surface indication was concerned. From the scout he was determined to make he had every hope of getting the needed direct evidence; at least, he would determine what was "richer than gold" that led Bart Caswell to tempt fate once too often.

"You'll never get past the gate!" Moira cried in despair and possibly some disappointment that he had taken her own arrival so placidly. "Bonnemort himself has taken charge of the guard there. He was there yesterday morning and yelled to Ruth: 'Tell your friend a uniform makes a fine target!' It was that renewed threat that sent her toward town with her too-late warning. This morning, since you had been delayed, I went over to the creek. He was there, but kept silent—even when I called him a murderer. I tell you, Sergeant Caswell, darling, the canon is closed!"

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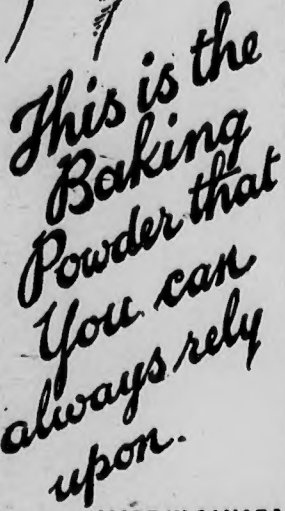
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AROUND THE TOWN

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Mr. W. A. Austin was a visitor in Calgary over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McLeod were visiting relatives in Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watson were Calgary visitors over the week end.

Messrs. C. Studer and Ward Keith were visitors in town over the week end.

Mr. E. E. Freeman was a business visitor in Calgary on Wednesday.

The Didsbury Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. H. C. Rennie on Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Misses Marie and Sennie Cameron, of Calgary, spent a couple of days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Liesemer.

The I.O.O.F. will hold a whist drive and dance on Friday night Nov. 21st, in the I.O.O.F. hall. Everybody welcome.

Amongst the ladies visiting Calgary over the holidays were Mrs. G. B. Sexsmith, Mrs. C. Bellamy, and the Misses Elder, Thelma and Margaret Sexsmith, Dorothy and Mamie Grde.

The Jutland W.C.T.U. met at the home of Mrs. Hugh McLean on Wednesday, Nov. 5th. In spite of the cold weather about twelve ladies were present. A good lunch was served after which the meeting adjourned.

Owing to a breakdown in part of our machinery and the holiday this week the Pioneer is very late in being published, but we hope our subscribers will bear with us in our troubles.

Old timers in town and district will remember Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Corbett, who lived in Didsbury for some years. Mrs. Corbett passed away recently at Eugene, Ore.

Mr. Mel. Gaddes, one of our former business men, football and curlers, is a business visitor in town. Mr. Gaddes is assistant manager of the Fuller Brush Co.'s Calgary office.

W. T. Stephenson, D.D.G.M. of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Alberta, of Red Deer, paid an official visit to King Hiram Lodge, A.F. & A. M. on Tuesday night, accompanied by Rt. Wor. Bro. J. T. Macdonald of Calgary.

A large number of Didsbury people spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Calgary. They state that it was warmer in the city than it was here. It was so cold here that very few people ventured out into the open.

Deer hunters were abroad in the land west of Didsbury during the holidays. Among the local nimrods taking part in the sport were Messrs. G. Smith, G. Liesemer, A. W. Axtell, W. McCoy and the Fisher Bros., all of whom made Mr. Rhodes' farm their objective. Geo. Smith if reported to be the hero of the party, bringing home a fine buck deer.

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